

<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>	
	10/765,534	ELLIOTT, GEOFFREY	
	Examiner Rashedul Hassan	Art Unit 2179	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Rashedul Hassan.

(3) Beatrice L. Koempel-Thomas.

(2) Weilun Lo.

(4) \_\_\_\_\_.

Date of Interview: 23 May 2007.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference  
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Goodisman (US 6,330,006 B1), Microsoft Publication "Introduction to Windows Peer-to-Peer Networking".

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Alleged differences between the claimed invention and the cited references and proposed amendments to claim 1 were discussed during the interview. Examiner expressed his opinion that the proposed amendments do not seem to overcome the cited prior art references but agreed to consider applicant's arguments once filed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

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Examiner's signature, if required